

## Analysis Report: urlhaus\_2a73cad53d7b.exe

**Verdict: MALICIOUS**

Verdict: likely-malicious; 78 anti-VM checks (mixed)

### Analysis Overview

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**Score: 8/10**

**Threat level: Malicious**

#### Malicious Activity Summary

- T1497.001
- T1105
- Obfuscated Files or Information
- Process Injection
- Process Injection: Dynamic-link Library Injection
- Input Capture: Keylogging
- Process Discovery
- Indicator Removal: File Deletion
- Application Layer Protocol: Web Protocols
- Native API
- Modify Registry
- Screen Capture
- Clipboard Data
- Shared Modules
- Access Token Manipulation
- Data Encrypted for Impact
- Credentials from Password Stores: Credentials from Web Browsers
- Hijack Execution Flow: DLL Side-Loading
- Debugger Evasion
- Boot or Logon Autostart Execution: Registry Run Keys

### Hashes

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|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>SHA-256:</b> | 2a73cad53d7b6ee5df6fce0d9f5761891c6bf42d674130dab5a634ffcd9b3423 |
| <b>SHA-1:</b>   | 0045f51bbd0f4285fc59b60f9652e6a6ad0f8242                         |
| <b>MD5:</b>     | f3053fed83a4d313e8aa9cace5db69ab                                 |
| <b>Size:</b>    | 641,536 bytes                                                    |

### Packer Detection

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No packer detected.

### PE Information

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**Architecture:** 64-bit

**Type:** Executable

**Entry Point:** 0x49A34

**Sections:** 6

| Name   | Virtual Size | Entropy |
|--------|--------------|---------|
| .text  | 0x6EF58      | 6.43    |
| .rdata | 0x20662      | 5.43    |
| .data  | 0xC7F4       | 2.91    |
| .pdata | 0x62DC       | 5.66    |
| .rsrc  | 0x4AE0       | 3.98    |
| .reloc | 0xDA0        | 5.39    |

## Imports

### KERNEL32.dll

GetLogicalDriveStringsA

SetFilePointerEx

MoveFileW

RemoveDirectoryW

GetModuleHandleA

TerminateThread

GetFileSize

ExpandEnvironmentStringsW

GetEnvironmentVariableW

MultiByteToWideChar

### USER32.dll

wsprintfW

GetClipboardData

UnhookWindowsHookEx

GetForegroundWindow

ToUnicodeEx

GetKeyboardLayout

SetWindowsHookExA

CloseClipboard

OpenClipboard

GetKeyboardState

### GDI32.dll

BitBlt

CreateCompatibleBitmap

SelectObject

CreateCompatibleDC

StretchBlt

GetDIBits

DeleteDC

DeleteObject

CreateDCA

GetObjectA

### ADVAPI32.dll

CryptAcquireContextA

CryptGenRandom

CryptReleaseContext  
GetUserNameW  
RegEnumKeyExA  
GetTokenInformation  
AdjustTokenPrivileges  
LookupPrivilegeValueA  
OpenProcessToken  
RegQueryInfoKeyW

**SHELL32.dll**

Shell\_NotifyIconA  
ShellExecuteExA  
ShellExecuteW  
ExtractIconA

**ole32.dll**

CoUninitialize  
CoGetObject  
CoInitializeEx

**WINMM.dll**

waveInOpen  
waveInUnprepareHeader  
waveInPrepareHeader  
waveInStop  
waveInStart  
waveInAddBuffer  
mciSendStringW  
mciSendStringA  
PlaySoundW  
waveInClose

**WS2\_32.dll**

socket  
connect  
recv  
send  
WSAGetLastError  
WSAStartup  
getaddrinfo  
inet\_ntoa  
closesocket

**urlmon.dll**

URLOpenBlockingStreamW  
URLDownloadToFileW

**gdiplus.dll**

GdiplLoadImageFromStream  
GdiplDisposeImage  
GdiplAlloc  
GdiplSaveImageToStream  
GdiplGetImageEncodersSize  
GdiplCloneImage  
GdiplGetImageEncoders  
GdiplStartup  
GdiplFree

**WININET.dll**

InternetReadFile

InternetCloseHandle  
InternetOpenW  
InternetOpenUrlW

## Strings (200 found)

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!This program cannot be run in DOS mode.

K:s`B;

K:s`

K:s`I;

K:Rich

.text

`.rdata

@@.data

.pdata

@.rsrc

@.reloc

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l\$XH

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## Malware Config

### C2 / Network (1)

| Endpoint           | Source  |
|--------------------|---------|
| 108.181.253.47:443 | network |

## Indicators of Compromise (7)

### IPv4 addresses (1)

108.181.253.47

### Domains (6)

zaa.co  
ccu.cc  
api.msn.com  
assets.msn.com  
www.bing.com  
arc.msn.com

## MITRE ATT&CK (20)

| Technique | Name                             | Tactic               | Source               |
|-----------|----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| T1497.001 |                                  |                      | detonation-evidence  |
| T1105     |                                  |                      | detonation-evidence  |
| T1027     | Obfuscated Files or Information  | Defense Evasion      |                      |
| T1055     | Process Injection                | Defense Evasion      |                      |
| T1055.001 | Process Injection: Dynamic-link  | Defense Evasion      |                      |
| T1056.001 | Input Capture: Keylogging        | Credential Access    |                      |
| T1057     | Process Discovery                | Discovery            |                      |
| T1070.004 | Indicator Removal: File Deletion | Defense Evasion      |                      |
| T1071.001 | Application Layer Protocol: Web  | Command and Control  |                      |
| T1106     | Native API                       | Execution            |                      |
| T1112     | Modify Registry                  | Defense Evasion      |                      |
| T1113     | Screen Capture                   | Collection           |                      |
| T1115     | Clipboard Data                   | Collection           |                      |
| T1129     | Shared Modules                   | Execution            |                      |
| T1134     | Access Token Manipulation        | Privilege Escalation |                      |
| T1486     | Data Encrypted for Impact        | Impact               |                      |
| T1555.003 | Credentials from Password Stores | Credential Access    |                      |
| T1574.002 | Hijack Execution Flow: DLL Side- | Privilege Escalation |                      |
| T1622     | Debugger Evasion                 | Defense Evasion      |                      |
| T1547.001 | Boot or Logon Autostart Executio | Persistence          | behavioral_inference |

## Dynamic Detonation

Coverage: ran

**Behavior:** malicious-behavior  
**Threat score:** 80/100 (high)  
**Factors:** c2, beaconing, attack\_techniques  
**C2 beaconing:** 1

**Network Connections (9)**

| Destination        | Domain | Proto |
|--------------------|--------|-------|
| 10.0.2.3:443       |        | tcp   |
| 10.0.2.3:80        |        | tcp   |
| 108.181.253.47:443 |        | tcp   |
| 10.0.2.3:53        |        | udp   |
| 10.0.2.255:137     |        | udp   |
| 224.0.0.251:5353   |        | udp   |
| 10.0.2.255:138     |        | udp   |
| 255.255.255.255:67 |        | udp   |
| 224.0.0.252:5355   |        | udp   |

**TLS Handshake Failures (cert-pinning) (50)**

assets.msn.com (tlsstate: deadline exceeded)  
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**Behavioral Timeline (100)**

- 1. [conn] pid 0: udp 255.255.255.255:67
- 2. [conn] pid 0: udp 224.0.0.251:5353
- 3. [conn] pid 0: udp 224.0.0.252:5355
- 4. [conn] pid 0: udp 10.0.2.255:137
- 5. [conn] pid 0: udp 224.0.0.252:5355
- 6. [conn] pid 0: udp 10.0.2.3:53
- 7. [dns] pid 0: DNS 1 www.msftconnecttest.com -> 10.0.2.3
- 8. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80
- 9. [conn] pid 0: udp 10.0.2.3:53
- 10. [dns] pid 0: DNS 1 login.live.com -> 10.0.2.3
- 11. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:443
- 12. [conn] pid 0: udp 10.0.2.3:53
- 13. [dns] pid 0: DNS 1 ctldl.windowsupdate.com -> 10.0.2.3

14. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80  
15. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80  
16. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80  
17. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:443  
18. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80  
19. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80  
20. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:443  
21. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80  
22. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80  
23. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80  
24. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:443  
25. [conn] pid 0: tcp 10.0.2.3:80

...and 75 more events

**Packet capture:** available (full PCAP)

### Persistence (1)

[Startup folder] malray.bat -> /ProgramData/Microsoft/Windows/Start Menu/Programs/Startup/malray.bat

### Spawned Processes (50)

System

Registry

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k DcomLaunch -p

smss.exe - \SystemRoot\System32\smss.exe

StartMenuExper - "C:\Windows\SystemApps\Microsoft.Windows.StartMenuExperienceHost\_cw5n1h2txyewy\StartMenuExperienceHost.exe"

dllhost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\DllHost.exe /Processid:{133EAC4F-5891-4D04-BADA-D84870380A80}

RuntimeBroker. - C:\Windows\System32\RuntimeBroker.exe -Embedding

SearchApp.exe - "C:\Windows\SystemApps\Microsoft.Windows.Search\_cw5n1h2txyewy\SearchApp.exe" -ServerName:CortanaUI.0

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k appmodel -p -s camsvc

msedge.exe

taskhostw.exe - taskhostw.exe SyncFromCloud

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k netsvcs -p -s gpsvc

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k DcomLaunch -p -s LSM

lsass.exe - C:\Windows\system32\lsass.exe

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k netsvcs -p -s SENS

dwm.exe - "dwm.exe"

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\System32\svchost.exe -k LocalServiceNetworkRestricted -p -s EventLog

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k LocalService -p -s nsi

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\System32\svchost.exe -k netsvcs -p -s Themes

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k LocalService -p -s EventSystem

LogonUI.exe - "LogonUI.exe" /flags:0x2 /state0:0xa3b2d055 /state1:0x41c64e6d

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k LocalServiceNetworkRestricted -p -s Dhcp

taskhostw.exe - taskhostw.exe ExploitGuardPolicy

csrss.exe - %SystemRoot%\system32\csrss.exe ObjectDirectory=\Windows SharedSection=1024,20480,768 Windows=On SubSystem=0

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k netsvcs -p -s DsmSvc

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\System32\svchost.exe -k LocalServiceNetworkRestricted -p

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\System32\svchost.exe -k wsappx -p -s ClipSVC

spoolsv.exe - C:\Windows\System32\spoolsv.exe

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k LocalServiceNoNetwork -p

svchost.exe - C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k netsvcs -p -s ProfSvc

...and 20 more